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## REMARKS

This amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated January 27, 2006. Reconsideration and allowance of the claims is requested. In this Final Office Action, claims 1-6, 17 and 18 were considered. Claim 18 was indicated to define allowable subject matter, but objected to as depending on a rejected claim. Therefore, claims 5 and 18 have been combined to create an allowed claim 5. Claims 6 and 17, which depend on claim 5, remain in the application. Claims 1-4 have been cancelled, without prejudice to the right of applicant to reassert these claims in a later application.

In view of the fact that these changes are consistent with the last Office Action, and do not create any new issues, entry of this amendment and allowance of the claims is requested.

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